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TO: Internal File

FROM: Susan M. White, Senior Reclamation Specialist/Biologist *SMW*

RE: Lion Deck Modified Reclamation Plan, Plateau Mining Corporation, Star Point Mine, C/007/006 AM02B

SUMMARY:

Plateau Mining Corporation submitted an amendment application on February 14, 2002. The amendment modifies the reclamation plan of the Lion's Deck area because of improved topographic mapping of the area and changes to the conveyor belt access road. The State, Forest Service and Mine own the surface of this area. The current amendment does not modify the Divisions previous finding made for the Biology sections of the current Technical Analysis.

RECCOMENDATIONS:

The proposed amendment and current MRP is adequate in regards to Biology issues.